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Vocabulary

A ***Complete the sentences with the words in the box.***

newfound	stimulate	milestone	worthwhile	rehearsal
perspective	foundation	advisable	implement	represent

1. His travels across the world have given him a new ..... on life.
2. It is ..... to check the weather forecast before going surfing.
3. This website includes ideas on how teachers can ..... their students' creativity.
4. His years of studying helped him build a strong ..... for his future career.
5. The vivid colours in this painting are thought to ..... the artist's feelings.
6. Danny had to train hard, but the joy of completing his first marathon made it all ..... .
7. Many people consider getting a university degree to have been an important ..... in their life.
8. The company director listened to the employees and has promised to ..... some changes next month.
9. Daria's ..... interest in ceramics began with a documentary about ancient art forms that she saw last month.
10. ..... The actors met for one final ..... the afternoon before the performance.

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B ***Choose a, b or c.***

1. We didn't book the tickets in advance because we ..... it for granted that we would be able to buy tickets on the day of the event.
   a. took **b.** kept **c.** made
2. The actor couldn't do the flips required for the scene, so an experienced stunt ..... did them instead.
   a. puppet **b.** performer **c.** producer
3. She usually paints the ceramics she makes in different ..... of red and pink.
   a. shapes **b.** textures **c.** shades
4. I had no ..... of buying anything until I found a dress I liked on sale.
   a. chance **b.** reputation **c.** intention
5. The town square and the streets around it were packed ..... people.
   a. by **b.** with **c.** in
6. I had been taking painting lessons for five years when I decided to ..... them at the age of seventeen.
   a. drop **b.** break **c.** let
7. Tim doesn't ..... me as the kind of person that would be rude to his colleagues.
   a. illustrate **b.** sketch **c.** strike
8. We spent an ..... period of time at our house by the lake this summer—we really needed the rest.
   a. observational **b.** aesthetic **c.** extended

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Grammar

Rewrite the sentences in Reported Speech.

1. ‘I must get hold of Edward.’
Sean said ..... of Edward.

2. ‘Mum, I may go to a friend’s house for dinner.’
Nancy told her mum ..... to a friend’s house for dinner.

3. ‘Have you finished the collection yet?’
The gallery owner asked Mr Barton ..... the collection yet.

4. ‘When can Kelly visit us?’
Adriana wanted to know .....

5. ‘Did you hear a strange noise last night?’
My neighbour asked me .....

6. ‘Stop taking pictures.’
The museum employee ordered Anne ..... pictures.

7. ‘If I were rich, I’d buy a house in the countryside.’
Janice told us ..... a house in the countryside.

8. ‘Don’t be late for dinner.’
Mr Miles asked his daughter ..... for dinner.

Exam Practice

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A ***Read the text and choose a, b, c or d.***

Impressionism

Impressionism is an art movement that began in the late 19th century in France. It was led by a group of artists who were making a(n) (**1**) ..... to move away from the strict rules that Paris art schools followed and taught. At that time, painters mostly preferred to paint scenes from history or familiar stories, and they did so using a(n) (**2**) ..... style that sought to represent their subjects as accurately as possible.

The artists associated with this movement, such as Claude Monet and Pierre-Auguste Renoir, worked outside in nature, where they noticed how the movement of light and colour could (**3**) ..... the appearance of the scene in front of them— and this is what they tried to (**4**) ..... in their work. Indeed, it is (**5**) ..... from their paintings that they had little interest in ‘copying’ what they saw. Their paintings were not intended to be exact representations of a scene and, as a result, they were often much less (**6**) ..... than the ones the public were used to at the time.

While the style eventually became popular with the public and the artistic community, the artists (**7**) ..... difficulty in getting their work displayed because big art exhibitions often rejected the paintings when they saw them. Things started to change when several artists, including Monet, (**8**) ..... their own art society to display their work.

1. a. theme **b.** attempt **c.** track **d.** angle

2. a. oriented realistic **b.** troubling **c.** domestic **d.**

3. a. enrol transport **b.** comprise **c.** transform **d.**

4. a. experiment **b.** rule out **c.** portray **d.** exclaim

5. a. apparent distinct **b.** tedious **c.** dynamic **d.**

6. a. lifelike **b.**

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soothing	**c.** abstract	**d.** padded	
7. a. made	**b.** had	**c.** got	**d.** saw
8. a. exceeded founded	**b.** posed	**c.** tumbled	**d.**

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B ***Choose a, b, c or d.***

1. Felicity reminded ..... Amber after the show.
a. that I should call **b.** me of calling **c.** me to call **d.** for me to call

2. Heather got Emily ..... her to the hospital last night.
a. drive **b.** to drive **c.** driving **d.** driven

3. Alice asked how long ..... to get to the theatre.
a. will it take **b.** would it take **c.** takes **d.** it would take

4. My sister decided to ..... by a local artist.
a. paint her portrait **b.** get to paint portrait her portrait **c.** have painted her portrait **d.** get her painted

5. Your new house looks great! Did you ..... by a professional?
a. decorate it **b.** have decorated it **c.** have it decorated **d.** get to decorate it

6. The student confessed ..... the report.
a. not do **b.** not to do **c.** hadn't done **d.** that he hadn't done

7. The police officer advised me ..... in my car.
a. I waited **b.** to wait **c.** wait **d.** that I waited

8. Henry blamed me ..... to the event on time.
a. for not getting **b.** to not get **c.** not getting **d.** that he didn't get

Score / 8

C ***Complete the second sentence so that it has a similar meaning to the first sentence, using the word given. Do not change the word given. You must use between two and five words, including the word given.***

1. 'I'm sorry I broke the window,' said Jenny.
Jenny ..... the window.

2. 'I want to speak to the manager!' shouted the man.
The man ..... to the manager.

3. 'You can have a half-hour break for lunch,' Ms Daniels told us.
Ms Daniels ..... a half-hour break for lunch.

4. I told my sister to return my new shoes to the shop for me and get a pair in a bigger size.
I ..... my new shoes to the shop for me and get a pair in a bigger size.

apologise

d

insisted

permitte

d had

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